

# SPARKS

"Purge thy tongue on an anvil of truth, and what flies up, though it be but a spark, shall have weight." --Pinder

By Burnis K. Lawrence  
Publisher

## SELF PRESERVATION

... is nothing to be sneezed at in this complicated business world and hectic days of instant communication, fast transportation and discount houses.

If we the residents of Medina County don't take care of ourselves first, then who is going to do it for us?

Recently the Medina County Commissioners Court took a most welcome, from the viewpoint of Medina County business people, step toward self-preservation. They issued an order that all items purchased by county offices should be bought in Medina County if at all possible.

I feel this is only fitting. The people of Medina County put the money in the county till and that money should be spent where it will benefit the county.

Certainly, there are times when items cannot be purchased from anyone in the county. But I definitely believe that county businesses should be given the opportunity to provide what is needed before anyone outside the county is contacted.

This hasn't been the case in the past. And in some instances it really hasn't been the case since the Commissioners Court expressed a preference on it.

And really I can't understand why. Every office holder in Medina County holds that office only because of the residents in Medina County. No one in Bexar County voted to put him there.

And certainly no business in Bexar County pays Medina County taxes. So it always amazes me to see the long line of outside salesmen come through the County Court-house and fill their order blanks with items that can be purchased from Medina County businesses--and many times at a lower cost.

So on behalf of myself and the other businesses in the county, I want to say thanks to Judge Jerome Decker and the Commissioners Court for realizing that we deserve the chance to bid on all purchases so that our tax money can be kept here to build Medina County.

And at the same time if we can save the County money then we have helped ourselves as well as the other taxpayers in the county.

To the various office holders who are not doing so at the present, I would like to say: "How about giving the Court's decision a little more thought and try us Medina County businessmen before you order?"

## DO YOU HAVE ANY DREAMS

... for changing or improving Hondo? Perhaps you call them suggestions. Whatever you might call them, why not give them to the Chamber of Commerce Committee that will spearhead what I would like to term "Project Dream".

Mrs. Jim (Nancy) Fridle has agreed to chair that committee. She doesn't see eye-to-eye with me on the title of the committee, but that's all right. Whatever she wants to call it, I believe we both have similar goals.

You ask, "What do you mean by project dream?"

Ideas might be a better word. Ideas that can change the looks, improve the image, or enhance the natural beauty of our city.

"For instance": a central theme idea followed by all the buildings along 18th Street; a mural on the long wall of Alamo Lumber Co. warehouse facing Highway 90; flower baskets hanging outside all upstairs windows of business houses having more than one level, and flower and greenery pots along the sidewalks.

Harry Filleman has a dream for the city to buy or lease a low area north on Avenue M and turn it into a flower garden; Pat Lawrence believes a large stump, rock or other object in the area in front of 18th Street businesses places where people could carve, cut or burn their names, home addresses or brands would attract visitors.

These are what I call dreams. Others already are reaping publicity and goodwill. At one time the beautifully kept area along the highway and railroad was only a dream in someone's mind. Today, it gives passers

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Dr. John H. Meyer

## Meyer services Friday

Dr. John Henry Meyer, a native of Hondo and a resident of the city for most of his life, will be buried Friday morning in services beginning at 9 a.m.

The 65-year-old dentist died Tuesday in the Santa Rosa Medical Center in San Antonio.

Rosary will be recited at 6:30 p.m. today (Thursday) in St. John's Catholic Church. Requiem Mass will be offered at 9 a.m. Friday in St. John's Catholic Church. Burial will be in the Hondo Cemetery under the direction of Guinn-Horger Funeral Home.

A complete obituary will be in next week's issue of the Anvil Herald.

## HONDO

## Chamber Corner

By Lillian Porter

Things begin popping Monday when the Directors hold their initial meeting of 1973... the agenda is full of action items including appointment of committee chairmen.

The meeting is held at noon at the New Frontier Restaurant with the general membership invited to attend.

Holidays are never dull and that even goes around the Chamber office. For instance, we had three out-of-state visitors who dropped by for cards. They included: Tom and Laura Daniel of Madison, Wis. (she wrote in our book: "Born in Hondo in 1944, glad to be back!"); Jean Wiederanders of San Jose, California; and Donald P. Bunce, Watertown, N.Y., who visited in Castroville and came over for some postcards.

Mrs. D. V. Wiemers, whose door decorations won second place in the Christmas Lighting Contest co-sponsored by the Chamber and the Hondo Garden Club, was nice to bring us by a box of "Christmas goodies".

For those persons planning on traveling we now have the Leahy's Guide to Hotels and Motels. Come by and use it.

On January 30 South Texas and other Regional Chamber leaders will meet in Austin with Gov. Dolph Briscoe. Local leaders are invited.

And it is hoped that sometime in January the Hondo Chamber can host a meeting of leaders from San Antonio to Del Rio to discuss future plans for Highway 90.

In the past week some 10 persons have dropped by seeking employment and we have referred eight of the 10 to jobs. We now have five places hiring: Devine Testing, D'Hanis Test Track, E. E. Hood (bridge contract near Big Foot), Leo Cloud (Bandera road and bridge work), and Gary Aircraft for trainees.

BY JOE FOHN

Recent economy moves stemming from Washington have had a sharp, startling impact on county and area agricultural activities.

Beginning Tuesday morning with an announcement that federal assistance to farmers and ranchers under the popular Rural Environment Assistance Program had been terminated, several other developments in the belt-tightening move in the White House made themselves evident.

And they brought concerned comments and actions from area farmers, ranchers

and agricultural leaders.

Late Tuesday morning at the Medina County Court-house, a large number of area ag-men heard Mr. Fernandez of the Farmer's Home Administration report that compensation to farmers and ranchers for crop losses due to natural disasters including widespread frost, had also been cut off, with no claims being honored unless they were approved on or before December 26.

Fernandez told the Court-house gathering that there is little hope at this time for renewing the assistance programs.

Some members of the group were angered because of the lack of notice to producers which caused some to receive the assistance, and many others to be denied any assistance at all.

County Judge Jerome Decker personally placed a call to Congressman Abraham Kazen expressing the dissatisfaction of county ranchers and farmers with the economy moves, and other calls and telegrams have been sent to bring the feelings of local producers to the attention of Washington lawmakers.

The R.E.A.P. program of the Department of Agricul-

ture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service provided the following services to farmers and ranchers all of which are affected by the new edict: Brush control, tank building, cross-fencing, livestock wells, farm ponds, diversion terraces, irrigation pipes, waterways, perennial grass planting, and anti-pollution measures for feed-lots. Each of these projects was eligible for assistance for 30-50% of the cost, up to \$1,000. Low-interest loans for projects above that cost were also available, and these, too, were cut off.

Technical assistance in

planning these projects can still be provided by the ASCS, but the costs must now be assumed completely by the farmer or rancher.

ASCS personnel reported that in 1972 alone, over \$91,000 was received in Medina County through the program. The program, or similar ones, have been in force since 1933. Another ASCS program, the Water Bank Program which had no application in Texas, was also terminated.

The first announcements were closely followed Wednesday morning by word through the National Rural Electrical Cooperative Association and Medina Electric Co-op that the low-interest direct federal loans enjoyed by the Rural Electrification Agency have been cut off, as of January 1. Henceforth, according to Louis Gross of MEC, loans will be available on an insured or guaranteed basis. Insured loans will carry an interest rate of 5%, and while no figure has been announced as yet for guaranteed loan interest rates, those may be even higher.

Asked about the course of Medina Electric Co-op for the future, Gross said, "We still have many unanswered questions at this time. We will have to defer expenditures and capital investments as long as possible, especially those dealing with installation of 'non-essential' electrical connections such as those for hunting or fishing camps. Gross added that no rate increases have been planned at the present time, until the effect of cutting expenditures can be measured against the costs of providing essential services.

A rumored report of Highway Department cutbacks brought this response from Chuck Hackebell, Resident Engineer of the Texas Highway Department in Hondo.

"Highway funds have already been frozen since last year, due to the failure of Congress to pass a Highway bill, and only state funds have been available thus far. We have no official word at this time concerning the federal funding of highway construction. Congress will have to pass a highway bill this session, and until they do, we will operate off State funds as we are doing now," Hackebell added that several projects in Medina County, including farm-to-market road construction and improvements of Highway 90, can still provide work for some time to come.

## Construction on Padding Company building slated

Construction on the \$1,165,000 U. S. Bonded Padding Co. building in Hondo is tentatively set to begin between January 15 and January 21, President Gerald Alexander told the Anvil Herald Wednesday morning.

"We have awarded the bid to Villarreal Construction Co. of San Antonio," he said in the telephone in-

terview. "But before we can issue an order to proceed there are a few legal problems to be ironed out. However, we feel these will be solved by next week and we can begin construction sometime between the 15th and the 21st."

Alexander said he and other company officials and their attorney has a meeting

planned Friday with Mayor George Brucke, City Manager Fritz Letzweber and possibly City Council members to confirm lease arrangements for the building site which is on the Airbase property just east of Bob's Bowling Lanes and south of DeMontel's Warehouse.

On an estimated completion date for the construction Alexander said, "The contractor has 210 working days in his contract, but we hope that weather and all other conditions will permit him to complete the job in six months."

A railroad spur will be built to the company site by the city with a payback arrangement with the railroad company over a period of time. This spur has been surveyed and all details worked out according to Alexander and he feels it will take the railroad people only about 30 days to install the spur. It will leave the main tracks just west of the National Guard Armory and travel north just back (or west) of Winters Trailer Park.

## Two killed in holiday wrecks

A San Antonio man and a Natalia man are dead as a result of separate auto accidents Monday night in Medina and Bexar Counties.

William Powell Ford, Jr., 45, of San Antonio was killed shortly before 7 p.m. Monday evening when he lost control of his automobile on FM 471 one mile north of LaCoste, and spun out of control head-on into the path of a second auto. Powell was alone in his vehicle, but the two occupants of the other auto were injured critically in the mishap.

Twenty-one year old John J. Littleton of Lytle and Dee Ann Schirmer of Castroville were both still listed in critical condition Tuesday by spokesmen at Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio.

Later Monday night, Jose Narezo, 53, of Natalia was

fatally injured in a single car accident on Interstate Highway 35 near Loop 410. His auto apparently went out of control and rolled. Narezo was thrown from the vehicle, and was pronounced dead on arrival at a San Antonio hospital.

## To meet

Directors of the Medina County Museum will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at the Medina Electric Co-operative building.

Plans call for discussions on Museum Day, schedules for May 5 this year, and an outline of proposed projects which need accomplishing at the Museum.

Directors also will hear a financial report from Treasurer Mrs. Sally Brucke.



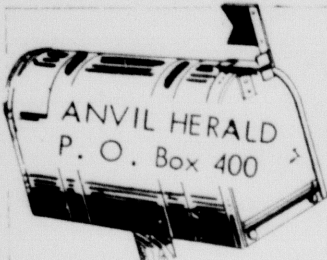
## Taking the oath of office

New Year's Day fell on Monday and brought about the task of swearing in elected county officials so that they could begin their new terms in a legal manner. Performing the swearing in duties was retiring County Attorney Frank X. Vance, left. New term office holders include, left to

right: Alfred Rohrbach, County Tax Assessor-Collector; Fred Bader of Hondo, County Commissioner Precinct 1; Alvin Santleben, Constable Precinct 8 in LaCoste; Joe Haag, Constable Precinct 3 in Castroville; Harry Rabe, Constable Precinct 5 in Devine; Allen Lee, County Attorney;

Charles J. Hitzfelder, County Sheriff; and Charles Langfeld of D'Hanis, County Commissioner of Precinct 3. Not pictured is Mrs. George (Mury) Ilse, Constable Precinct 1 in Hondo.





## Letters from the mailbox

Dec. 26, 1972  
Dear Sir:  
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Henry Carle  
Dear Burns,  
A while back it seems like you had a book for sale

on Texas County Court House.  
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Dear Sir:  
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## Speak to me, Santa!

Little Rosie Morin, two-year-old daughter of Mary Morin who is holding her, tries to get the attention of a pinata Santa Claus at a children's party at the National Guard Armory Friday night. The party was given for some 30 children by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wernette. They were assisted by

Dora Guajardo, Vickie Guajardo and Sylvia Ramirez, Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Lawrence and Terri and Debbie Young. Rosie is joined by other youngsters at the party where they enjoyed duck and dressing topped off with cake for dessert and a gift of candy items.

## Ranger Services for Wm. P. Ford, Jr.

Funeral services will be held Thursday (today), January 4, 1973 at 1:00 p.m. at the Baptist Church in Ranger, Texas for William Powell Ford, Jr. of San Antonio. He 36 years of age at the

time of death in Medina County January 1.

Mr. Ford was born September 28, 1937.

Surviving Mr. Ford is his wife, Marion Louise Ford of San Antonio; one son, William Powell Ford, III; parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Powell Ford of Milledgeville, Georgia.

Also surviving Mr. Ford are two brothers, James Ford of LaCoste and Paul Ford of San Antonio; and three sisters, Mrs. Marvin Hinson, Pinnellas Park, Florida, Mrs. Lawrence Polk of Harlem, Georgia and June

Ford of Milledgeville, Georgia.

Interment will be in the Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger.

### Here in Hondo

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Britsch had as their guests over the Christmas holidays, their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmitt, Carol, Laine and Joy of Oak Ridge, Tennessee and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Huffman, Kerry and Tracy of Houston. Mr. Ralph Huffman, Sr. of Longview was also a guest.

## Library News

Hondo Public Library has been very fortunate to be given a number of volumes of the World Scope Encyclopedias by Judge and Mrs. Jerome H. Decker. However, in order to finish out some sets, Volumes I, II, III, IV and VI are needed, and the library would appreciate assistance on this from our readers. These encyclopedias were sold at a local market.

Yancey L. Russell, Natalia, has compiled a scrapbook of a series of articles he researched and prepared on the old Hondo Valley Masonic Lodge No. 252 (Chartered June 14, 1880 and demised in 1883) and has presented this to the library to add to our genealogical reference material. Other contributors in recent weeks have been Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barrientes, magazines; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Herring, paperbacks, National Geographic and Reader's Digest magazines; Mrs. John Poerner, pamphlets and magazines; Dewey R. Verona, stamp magazines and Mary Weems, paperbacks.

In addition, donations were received from W. F. Gaudin, paperbacks and other books; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Buescher, Wall Street Journals and magazines; the Paul Reilly family, magazines; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGarity, books and paperbacks.

Leslie A. Vance brought the library 72 books and 16 paperbacks, among which are some classics and poetry. Mrs. Cora Campbell Muenink presented a copy of her poetry book, "A Bird on the Wing," in memory of Minnie H. Muenink.

Edna Aycock gave the library several paperbacks and Inez Short donated magazines. Also new to the library shelves is a paperback copy of "The Valachi Papers" by Peter Mass.

Mrs. Lottie Maw, librarian, has suggested a good New Year's resolution for readers: Return your overdue books. Mrs. Maw also reminds you that the book-drop can be used for these overdue books and that it is available at any hour.

## Truck robbed

Hondo police are investigating the recent theft of a large number of items from the pickup of Art Formann, as it stood at his home at 1511 26th St.

Included in the loss were a 16 gauge shotgun and a .22 rifle, ten 8-track stereo tapes, several tools, and other items.

Entry was made into the locked truck through a wing window.

## More about . . . Sparks

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through and visitors, as well as homefolks, a beautiful view.

Now, do you have any ideas or dreams? How about telling them to Nancy Fiddle? Maybe we can generate some interest in them in 1973.

## New plants sought

The Soil Conservation Service, in cooperation with the Medina Valley SWCD is continually searching for new plants that will thrive in our soils and rainfall, also that will be beneficial to both livestock and wildlife.

At the present time trials are being conducted on the Glenn Schroeder Farm near Yancey. He has planted three separate varieties of weeping lovegrass and Wilman lovegrass. These grasses are planted on fine sandy loam soil to determine how they will respond when planted in an old blown field. It looks like maybe we have found a grass that will do well on deep sand and at the same time give the landowner some fine grazing for his livestock when he needs it most.

One thing about these grasses is that they look good for fall and winter grazing. It has been noticed that cattle will graze weeping lovegrass during November, December and January better than at any other time.

Another place where trials are being conducted is on the Harold Stiegler place seven miles south of Hondo. He has planted two varieties of green sprangletop, side-oats grama, kleingrass, weeping lovegrass and Gordo bluestem. These grasses are planted on shallow soil to determine their adaptability. From the test thus far

it seems that kleingrass and Gordo bluestem are the best adapted to this thin soil.

This means that they can withstand longer dry periods than most other grasses, because this soil can store only a small amount of moisture, as compared to a deeper soil. Another thing noticed when cattle are grazing these grasses, during the growing season, they will eat the Gordo bluestem first, the kleingrass second, side-oats grama next, then green sprangletop and weeping lovegrass last. Of course there are times of the year when they will prefer some of the less desirable grasses over the

most desirable, but this will be for only a short period. For instance the weeping lovegrass will be eaten, after frost, before any other grass.

The District has had many regional winners which were: The Anvil Herald, KRME Radio Station, Eugene Saathoff as the outstanding comeback farmer/rancher and also as the outstanding wildlife conservationist. Charles Hood is the outstanding wildlife conservationist and Nick Turner had the outstanding essay. Mrs. George Koch was selected as the outstanding Homemaker of the year. As you can see the district has won many awards. So keep up the good work.

## Plan direction producers advised

The new year is on us and it is time to start making plans for the year.

Making plans always helps you set the direction in which you want to go. If you have a need for more grass, then now is the time to make plans to establish some high producing grasses. If you wait until it is time to plant the grasses then it may be too late, because you have got to prepare you land the same as if you are going to plant corn or grain sorghum.

Ray Chant of Natalia has completed leveling six acres of irrigated land. This was leveled in parallel borders approximately 30 feet wide and 400 feet long. The land will be established to Coastal bermudagrass and ferti-

lized for high production. Land leveling has been completed on Cyril Van Damme farm near Hondo. This was about 40 acres of land that was reshaped to an even grade so water can be evenly applied from end to end. By doing this the crops will require less water because the root zone can be filled without waste or erosion.

Walter Kriewald, Arnold and Floyd Saathoff are each shaping a waterway that will safely carry flood water through their places. After the shaping the waterway will be sprigged to Coastal bermudagrass. Kriewald will fence his waterway so he can graze the grass after it has become established.

Allen Reed has completed clearing brush on 12 acres. This area will be established to Kleingrass for livestock grazing. Also, Reed is constructing a 3,000 yard livestock pond which will provide adequate water for livestock when grazing the grass.

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## Save those papers

By Gaye Bippert, Medina County HD Agent

"Save those papers," cautioned Mrs. Gaye Bippert, County Extension Agent, referring to important "papers" in the box with a small electrical appliance.

She urged consumers to read every word before using the appliance.

"Read and heed registration cards first. Complete them and mail to the manufacturer."

"These cards let him know where the appliance was purchased and where the product is in case a safety defect makes it necessary for him to notify the owner. Sending the registration card also may speed servicing."

"Guarantee or warranty papers are second on the reading list, and they mean about the same thing."

Learn what they promise in writing on product performance, such as "guaranteed not to tarnish" or "guaranteed to be free of defects in material or workmanship," the agent advised.

"Some promise specific action, such as repair, refund or replacement if the product fails to meet standards of quality or performance stated in the guarantee,"

Read until you find the following six points:

1. What it guarantees--it should list parts covered.

2. How long its guarantee--the entire appliance or different parts may be guaranteed for different time lengths.

3. Manufacturer or seller promises--if product is defective, they may furnish parts and labor or parts only, and they may replace the entire product or refund purchase price.

4. Steps owner must take to receive benefits the guarantee promises.

5. Limitations or conditions of the guarantee--it may tell the owner to complete and mail the registration card.

6. Name of firm offering the guarantee and name or title of party responsible for keeping its promises.

Another "paper" to read is the use and care booklet, the agent added.

"Instructions aim at helping owners get the most satisfaction and use from the product. Read the booklet carefully, and follow directions to the letter. Keep the booklet in a safe place."

"Appliance life usually depends on the care it receives."



Mrs. Dan Dailey

### Miss Cindi Cooper becomes bride of Dan Dailey

Miss Cindi Cooper became the bride of Dan Dailey Saturday evening, Dec. 30, 1972 in First Methodist Church, San Marcos, in a double ring ceremony officiated by Rev. Ellis Thomas, minister.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Cooper of Dallas and Mrs. Clarence Dailey and the late Mr. Dailey of Dunlay, Texas.

Four candelabras were placed in front of the altar along with three large baskets of assorted pastel flowers. Miss Beverly Wooten provided the music on an organ to the tunes of "Bridal March", along with soloist Vernon Hartman and "Love Story", "Lord's Prayer" and "We Have Just Begun".

Given away in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of white velvet floor-length and high neck trimmed in lace. The veil makes into train trimmed in lace matching the gown. Her bouquet was white roses, baby blue lilies of the valley and blue baby's breath with a rose detachable corsage.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the community room hosted by the bride's parents. For their trip to New Orleans, the bride was attired in a white suite, blue blouse and white trimmed fur coat and white rose corsage. The couple will make their home on Jan. 6 at 728 West San Antonio, San Marcos, where Mr. Dailey is a graduate ag. major at Southwest Texas State University. His wife is a senior at SWTSU majoring in psychology.

REHEARSAL SUPPER  
Mrs. Clarence Dailey, mother of the groom, was host at the rehearsal supper held Dec. 29 at the Holiday Inn guest room honoring Cindi and Dan and for the wedding party, immediate families and guest.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Mrs. Debbie Stone of New York. Her bridesmaids were Mrs. Pat Walters of Rockdale, and Misses Kathy Stengel, Austin, Angela Humphreys and Margie Cooper of Dallas.

The bride's attendants wore floor-length gowns in royal blue with blue satin inserts. The gowns featured empire waists and short puffed sleeves. Their headdresses were royal blue picture hats with velvet streamers and they carried nosegays of assorted pastel flowers.

Miss Deanne Balzen of Hondo was flower girl. Serving as ring bearer was David Ridden, Dallas.

Best man was Ronnie Audridge of San Marcos. Groomsmen were Dr. Jeff Cooper, brother of the bride from Florida, Alvin Saathoff of New Jersey, Curtis Saathoff and J. S. Saathoff, both of Hondo.

Ushers included Clyde Schuele and Royce Hartman of Hondo, Larry Bailey, San Antonio, Donnie Stogmiller, San Marcos, Tommy Suehs, Castroville, and Mark Riddan of Dallas.

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## SETTLEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stiegler, Mr. and Mrs. William Wengenroth, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wengenroth, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wengenroth and Carl and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wengenroth, Bridgett and Lynn were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Haby.

Raymond Biediger enjoyed a pleasant visit with Henry Carle Sunday evening.

Mrs. Paul Schott hosted a Christmas party at the Hermann Sons Hall in Dunlay. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Horner, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Schott, Beverly and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. George Masters, Brenda and Dwayne, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brieden and Nadine, Mr. and Mrs. John Tarvin, Johnny and Terri, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence, Christie and Mistie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bendele, Sidney Steubing and Ronnie Bohmfalk.

Mr. and Mrs. George Masters, Brenda and Dwayne hosted a dinner on Christmas Eve. Those attending were the Ray Horners, the John Lawrences and family, the John Tarvin family, the Bill Bendeles and Sidney Steubing.

Mrs. Irene Neatwich and Mrs. James Pohl had a pleasant visit with the Calvin Schotts Sunday morning.

Enjoying a hunting trip to Sonora this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Digges and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beats.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and family enjoyed supper with the George Masters family Sunday evening.

Visiting the William Wengenroths Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wengenroth and Carl and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wengenroth, Bridgett and Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brieden, Nadine, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson and Ronnie Bohmfalk were Christmas Day supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Schott, Beverly and Wanda.

Mrs. George Masters and Brenda enjoyed shopping in San Antonio one day this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brieden and Nadine and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brieden and children were visitors of the Richard Briedens New Year's Day.

Mrs. Ray Horner and Johnny and Terri Tarvin were visitors of Mrs. Paul Schott Thursday afternoon.

Christmas Eve guests of the Ray Horners were Mr. and Mrs. George Masters, Brenda and Dwayne, Mr. and Mrs. John Tarvin, Johnny and Terri, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bendele, and Mrs. Paul Schott and Sidney Steubing.

New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tschirhart and family were the Sam Tschirharts.

Mrs. George Masters and Brenda were visiting Mrs. Paul Schott Thursday afternoon.

Visitors of the Allen Haby's Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wengenroth, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wengenroth and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Haby and daughter.

Mrs. Clara Moehring enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Paul Schott one day this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Horner spent Christmas Day with the John Tarvin family of Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson visited the Bob Wall family and the Fred Schneiders of San Antonio on New Year's Day.

Otto Hutzler visited his sister, Mrs. Paul Schott, one day this past week.

Miss Vicki Biediger was home to spend the holidays with her parents, the Erwin Biedigers.

Raymond Moehring enjoyed a short visit with the Erwin Biediger family Saturday.

Kim Biediger spent several days with her sister, Vicki, in San Antonio this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Horner visited the following on New Year's Eve: the John Lawrence family, the George Masters family, Mrs. Paul Schott and the John Tarvin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Biediger and Kim and Mrs. Clara Moehring enjoyed a visit with the Hugo Naegelin's Wednesday evening.

Visitors of the Calvin Schotts, Beverly and Wanda Sunday evening were the William Briedens and Nadine, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Nelson and Ronnie Bohmfalk.

Dinner guests of the David Haby family of Castroville New Year's Day were Mr. and Mrs. James Haby and Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Biediger and Kim, Mrs. Clara Moehring, Miss Vicki Biediger and Marvin Burton.

Visitors of the Lloyd Wengenroths and Carl Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Biediger and Kim, and Mr. and Mrs. David Haby, Cindy and Mark.

Joe E. Karm of Hayward, California was here on an extended visit in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Groda and other friends and relatives. Joe then left to spend the New Year's holidays with other friends in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lyssy of San Antonio entertained with a pre-Christmas party in honor of her brother, Joe E. Karm. Guests were the Bill Grodas, the Albert Karms, Mr. and Mrs. Phil DeCook, Jr. and Shelly, the hosts and their daughters, Lorri and Karen.

### Here in Hondo

Mrs. Margaret Behrens returned to her home in Austin after spending the Christmas holidays in Hondo with her mother, Mrs. Armin Roche. Sunday and Monday, they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Heard, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wentworth in Uvalde.

Also visiting in Uvalde were Mr. and Mrs. George Elband of Crystal City.

Miss Anna Lee Rucker of Pasadena, Texas spent Christmas with relatives in Hondo and Yancey.



This week

## All she wrote

by Edna McDade

Remember when the "r" months were designated as safe for oyster-eating? January's "r" was also supposed to stand for New Year Resolutions. (I carried over a lot from last year.)

It was President Hoover who suggested that we needed to add a fourth R to the traditional three of Readin, 'Ritin and 'Rithmetic: Responsibility. 1973 might be a good year to do so.

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When the 12/21 Anvil Herald finally reached me (on Dec. 28th) I thought I had received the NY Times by mistake, it was so big -- 26 pages in three sections!

I read all of the Season's Greeting ads, considering myself among those to whom the good wishes were extended, being in the market for all I can get just now.

And I loved the Letters to Santa. KIM GRUBER's (3A) letter had a special appeal: "I want a puppy but if you don't have one, that's OK. I guess I don't need a puppy that bad, I just wanted one because mine ran away." (How could Santa resist that appeal?)

(Editor's Note: He didn't. Kim received a poodle puppy.)

I nominate FRANKIE C. to the Open Door Policy Commission, if there is such an administrative unit. The letter said, "For Christmas, you know what, you can't come down my chimney because you know why? We don't have one so come through the door."

To every problem there is at least one solution.

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Our bird feeder swings from a patio beam and a wide window over the kitchen sink gives an excellent ringside view of the goings-on. For daily guests we have dozens of doves, an occasional mocking bird and cardinal, sparrows without number and clouds of red-winged blackbirds.

At least one of the doves, I do believe, must have a bit of hawk ancestry in him. When the mealtime customers arrive en masse, this dove lights on the ridgepole, gets a firm purchase with one foot, stretches the other out to grip the wire hanger, then spreads both wings as if to establish indisputable squatter sovereignty.

The smaller birds pay him no mind and dive in and out to get their full share of the daily rations.

Two robins have been busily patrolling our small front lawn, probably staking claims on any early worms. I am told that robins remain here the year round. So far, we have had no winter weather that would suggest a flight to warmer quarters.

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Since KRME doesn't reach Corpus Christi, I missed this year's broadcast of the Christmas concert presented by the HHS Sweepstakes Band and the McDowell MS Band.

I'm sure I missed a real treat for those bands, under BILLY HARRELL's capable (and dedicated) direction, do make sweet music wherever they go.

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HONDO news came last week via ELSIE (Mrs. Reno) STANGA and the W. W. (Merle) WATSONS who were here on quickie Christmas visits with their families and friends. I do appreciate calls from the "homefolks".

Elsie gave a good report on the twins who grew up (almost) in our neighborhood. They had an unexpected visit here with daughter PAULA and her husband who are now living in Alabama.

The Watson's grandchildren are scattered from Causeway Drive here, across to A&I, Kingsville, and all the way to SAIGON. Merle also gave me news of our Methodist DICK and MARJORIE LOWERY, former Hondoans, now of Hunt. They are now grandparents and what a happy Christmas they must have had!

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I haven't had a recent report of FLOYD KOCH who had a bit of rough going for a while last summer. However, now that he has a new grandson, (BRENT EDWARD HEILIG) to even the score of one granddaughter (RITTA DeSHEA BOUBEL) Floyd must be feeling great.

Cause for rejoicing among the whole family.

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According to DEENA KAY SCHUR's letter to YOU KNOW WHOM, all her mother wanted for Christmas was "a million dollars." Any luck?

Another letter with the popular request for a bike, confided "It is not a long time when I lurnt to ride a bike".

It is a mighty long time when I "lurnt" and I think I'd better not try to re-lurn.

I hope many other adults enjoyed the heart-to-heart Santa letters as much as I did.

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# Natalia & Chacon Lake news

By Mrs. I.W. Thompson

Chief Petty Officer Joseph Keenan, who is stationed at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, arrived Friday, Dec. 15, and visited until Dec. 26 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Tutschke. Joining the three-some for Christmas dinner were the Tutschkes' daughter and family, the Gary Browns and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davidson, Devine, Mrs. Tutschke's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley J. Deisler and Janice of Kingsville joined them on Thursday for the day.

Mrs. Callie Goldenburg suffered a heart attack Wednesday afternoon. She was taken to Methodist Hospital by Hurley Ambulance for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burns and Mike motored to Kingsland Sunday afternoon and visited until Christmas afternoon with her parents, the F. M. Ehrhardts.

Mrs. Jack Burns, David and Brenda visited her grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Martin, in Lytle Tuesday for the day and her aunt and uncle, the Olin Wilhelms, who were visiting from Erick, Okla.

Mrs. R. W. Bradford visited from Friday through Tuesday in San Antonio with her daughter and family, the Calvin Lockharts, the Gary Lockharts from Corpus Christi and Lt. and Mrs. James Killen and James Jr. of Lubbock.

The B. M. Estes motored to Corpus Christi Saturday and visited until Christmas afternoon with their daughter and family, the Robert Goldens, Sheri, Laurie and Lisa. They spent Christmas night with his brother and sister-in-law, the J. L. Estes in Ingleside.

The Oscar Fricks had as their Christmas holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edmondson, Hope Marie and Charity Sue, Warden, Texas, the Tommy Fricks, San Antonio, and the Raymond Capps and Troy Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fellers, Houston, visited from Friday afternoon until Christmas afternoon with her parents, the J. T. Joneses. The Joneses' son, Donald Guery, San Antonio, also joined the family for a visit.

The Archer Paudts, Susie, Sandy, Sally and Howard of Mt. Pleasant and Gary Paudt of Houston arrived on Saturday and visited until the following Thursday with Mr. Paudt's brother and family, the Al Paudts and Michelle. The group enjoyed an early Christmas dinner on Sunday at the W. W. Luttrell home in Pearsall.

The Raymond Capps and Troy Ray, formerly of Castroville, are now at home in their trailer house on the farm of her parents, the Oscar Fricks.

The Lenard B. Wiemerses, Keith and her mother, Mrs. Ann M. Powell, enjoyed Christmas Day at the home of Mrs. Powell's son and family, the Jim Powells, where they were joined by her daughter and family, the Glenn Rolands, Glenda, Jimmy and Venoy from Schertz, Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson, Jr., Michelle and Ralph, III, Colorado Springs, Colo., arrived Friday and visited until Sunday night with his sister and family, the Lenard Dosseys, Lenard Roy, Dandel, Jimmy and Brenda. The group motored to Comfort Saturday afternoon and had dinner with Mr. Dossey's brother and family, the David Dosseys, Michael and Kenneth. The Dosseys entertained with a dinner at their home Sunday evening. Guests were the Ralph Thompsons, their mother, Mrs. Ralph Thompson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. George Whitten and Rhonda, San Antonio.

Reverend and Mrs. Franklin Pullin, Gregory, Lisa and Jeffery motored to Houston Sunday afternoon for a visit

until Christmas afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Sumner. From there they journeyed to Gonzales and visited until Tuesday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Pullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Binnie, Bobby and Lisa of Brownwood came Wednesday and visited until Thursday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Janette Rathbun, and her grandparents, the A. J. Croswaites. They were joined on Wednesday for the day by Mrs. Maurice Blalack, Rusty and Gary of San Antonio. The Croswaites and Mrs. Rathbun spent Christmas day in San Antonio at the home of the Malone Blalacks.

Mr. and Mrs. David McMillan, San Antonio, came out Tuesday night for a brief visit with his parents, the Melton McMillans, after they had visited over the Christmas holidays in Eunice, Louisiana with her parents, the Herschel Seifferts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henson arrived Friday, Dec. 22, from Attumwa, Iowa for a visit through the New Year's holidays with their son and family, the James E. Hensons, Denise and Jimmy.

The Charles Tidballs entertained with a Christmas dinner at their home. Guests were Kenneth, Charles Jr. and Sandy Tidball, the Steve Tidballs and Heather Faye, the V. L. Gotthardts, Brenda and Vicki, San Antonio, the Leslie Tidballs, Susan, Cheryl and Edwina and Mr. Charles Tidball, San Antonio.

The Iven W. Thompsons visited the A. A. Neals in Pearsall Christmas afternoon. Mr. Neal was convalescing in the Erie Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Law entertained the following relatives with a dinner at their home Christmas Day. Her mother, Mrs. Erna Harbort, San Antonio; and her sisters and brothers-in-law, the Wilson T. Croffords, the Joe Singleys, San Antonio, M/Sgt. and Mrs. Melvin Peters, Fort Worth; their daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Hildebrandt, Burton Leigh, Michael Owen and David Eric, Devine; also their son, John Edward Law, student at the University of Texas, Austin; her sister, Mrs. Lillie Merz, McQueeney; her sons and daughters-in-law, and grandson, Rev. Roy Merz, McQueeney; the Virgil Merz and Ricky and the Ray Merz, Seguin and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morawietz and Shane, San Antonio.

Weekend and Christmas Day guests in the home of Mrs. R. W. Crawford included her daughters and families, the Herschel B. Smiths, Linda and Brett, Travis Lake, near Austin, Sgt. and Mrs.

Leonard Swan and Allen, Marshall, the Roy A. Turners and the Gary Humphreys, San Antonio.

Denver E. Day and his son-in-law, Jerry Warren, motored to Aransas Pass Saturday for fishing and visiting Mr. Day's mother, Mrs. Iva Jester, until Sunday afternoon.

The Garrett A. Guly and his mother, Mrs. Edith Hampton and Mrs. Mollie Guly, San Antonio, motored to Fort Worth Friday and visited until Tuesday morning with the Guly's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett A. Guly, Jr., Gary and Laurie, where they were met by their daughter and family, the Wayne Gabeharts, Charles, Tommy and Billy McAllen.

The Rudy Lorraines, Barbara, Brett and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lorraine, San Marcos, left Thursday night for a visit at Glen, New Hampshire with Mr. Lorraine's mother, Mrs. Emma Bosse, his brother and sister-in-law, the Robert Lorraines and his sister and brother-in-law, the Frank Graves.

Mrs. B. J. Robbins accompanied by her son and family, the Wesley Robbins, Guy West, Mark, Sharon and B. J., Paducah, came to Mrs. Robbins' home Saturday morning for a stay until Wednesday morning. The Teivy Robbins, Leslie Lynn, Chris, Jim Bob and Lorri of Bandera, where Mrs. Robbins has been making her home, joined them Sunday afternoon for supper before journeying on to Nordheim for Christmas with Mrs. Robbins' parents, the Rudy Muelers, The Richard Heisers, Darlene and Ricky of Killeen joined the group for a visit Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Day had as their Christmas holiday guests, their foster daughter, Mrs. Barbara Gilley, Lisa and Wayland, Dallas, and her niece and husband, the Don Obertone, Houston.

The L. L. Harrises, Martin Jeffery and Kimberly, Dallas, came Saturday morning and visited until Tuesday morning with her parents, the W. S. Pruitts and family. Joining the family for Christmas dinner were the Cecil Messers, Jr., Laurie Ann, Virginia, Kathy and Mary, Moore; M/Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Corley, Mike and Mark, M/Sgt. Corley is home on a two-weeks leave from Forgo North Dakota. His family make their home in Devine. The Pruitts' grandchildren and families, the James Cooks and Julie, and the Johnny Messers and son, Johnny of Moore joined the family for a visit in the afternoon.



MRS. STEPHEN LESLIE HOLLAWAY

## Hoffman-Hollaway vows exchanged

Miss Carol Ann Hoffman exchanged wedding vows with Stephen Leslie Hollaway Saturday, December 30, 1972, in the First United Methodist Church of Ballinger, Texas.

The Rev. Harry Nissen and Rev. Plez Todd officiated in the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Hoffman of Edinburg and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Hollaway of San Antonio.

Miss Mary Hoffman of Houston assisted her sister as maid of honor. Brides-

maids were Miss Colleen Harwell of College Station and Miss Jane Hollaway, sister of the groom.

Joseph W. Hollaway, III served as his brother's best man. Ushering were Henry Wood of College Station, Jay McWhorter of Houston and Walt Hoffman of Edinburg, brother of the bride.

A reception followed the wedding in the church's Sallie Odum Parlor.

The couple will make their home in College Station after a wedding trip to New Orleans.

## Noonan-Pearson News

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stein and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gass and family at Castroville Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken and grandson, Ricky Stein, were at Lytle Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Tschirhart and son, Gerald, were in Castroville Friday.

Mrs. Anthony Zinsmeyer and children of LaCote visited Mrs. Leroy Stein and son Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Martin visited in the Roy Tschirhart home Thursday. Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart was at Devine Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken were in Castroville Friday.

Mrs. Ross Snider and daughter, Diann, were in Castroville Friday.

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## Methodist women to observe Prayer and Self-Denial day

United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church of Hondo will hold one of their most important annual observances this week-The Call to Prayer and Self-Denial. More than 1.5 million women in 34,000 local units in all 50 states will join in the observance.

The Call to Prayer and Self-Denial for women of the Hondo church will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 9, 1973, at the Educational Building.

The Call, inspired by special mission needs and by the opportunities to be made possible, focuses on prayer, a deepened spiritual life, and a guided mission study. Major events of the observance include the Quiet Day and an interpretation of the mission projects in the United States and abroad for which a special offering will be made. Each woman who takes part is asked to give for others by denying herself, and to cultivate through prayer a spiritual oneness with planners, mission workers, and those served in church-related ministries.

The Women's Division of the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries sponsors the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial and has designated two aspects of the large United Methodist mission program to benefit from this year's special offering:

1. In the United States the offering will be used to repair and improve mission properties and to renew programs of Christian mission. Through these instrumentalities the renewal of lives in the name of Christ is sought as well as a strengthened Christian presence in cooperative community efforts. Mission facilities are in constant use and demands for help increase daily. It is the belief of the Women's Division that mission programs, to be effective, must be sensitive to the varying conditions and needs of their surrounding communities, and staffs must be ready to work in new or old directions and combinations.

2. Overseas the special offering will be used for leadership training for women. This will enable women around the world to follow earlier Christians in carrying on the responsibility of training other women for leadership roles in family, church, community and civic life. A woman receiving such training has often passed it on to her whole community.

Missionaries and nationals from around the world have provided information for the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial observance. "Our Life Together: A Pilgrimage",

was written by Miss Peggy Halsey, formerly a US-2 short-term missionary to retarded children in the United States who is now Secretary for Financial Promotion for United Methodist Women.

United Methodist Women is the successor body to two former denominational women's groups--the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild, and is related to the Women's Division of the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries. Last year the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial offerings of United Methodist Women totaled \$651,312.96.

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## Chairman announces change of policy in Stocking Fund

Late donors for "Empty Stocking" helped to bring Christmas to all of our needy families.

Donors not listed before are: Mr. and Mrs. John E. Boon and children, V.F.W., Mrs. Nell Richter and her students, Hondo High School Students, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rieber, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sedgwick, Country Square

Dancers and Mr. and Mrs. Allen McGuffin and boys. "Next year Empty Stocking will be for our aged and disabled only," Mary Ruth Cameron, Committee Chairman said. "Everyone thinks of the children and their are many duplications where there are children because other organizations and individuals are provid-

ing Christmas for them. "Another reason for the change is the fact that most mothers can find employment to provide Christmas for their children. In fact, we offered to send some out on jobs (paying minimum wage) just before Christmas but they refused the offer. Since we have always maintained the idea to safeguard

the dignity of the parent we think providing Christmas for those who are able to work and provide their own would be against this belief."

Miss Cameron continued: "If any of our good friends, who have helped to provide Christmas for our families, prefer to help the children we urge them to contact

some of the organizations who will provide Christmas for them. As stated earlier, Empty Stocking will help only the aged and disabled.

"When we have seen the aged hold a sweater or warm robe with tears streaming down their face because it is the first new one they ever owned we feel the need is

there. When we have been able to put sheets and blankets on a bare mattress for the disabled and bedfast we think you will want your money spent in this way. Your money has done this and much, much more for adults and children, so thank you all for all of them," Miss Cameron concluded.



TRAVIS FLATT  
... receives 30-year pin  
from Bill Hare

### Travis Flatt receives pin

Thirty years service with the federal government is a landmark reached by Travis D. Flatt of Hondo.

Flatt, who is presently employed as an electronics technician at the National Weather Service Radar Station in Hondo, was presented a 30-year pin by Station Supervisor Bill Hare.

Hondo is Flatt's current assignment after numerous assignments in various locations during the past 30 years with the government. He began his career in 1941 at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi.

"I have been interested in electronics since I was nine years old," he said. "And from that time to the present, there have been many changes in the field." Flatt started as an engineer at Radio Station KBWD in Brownwood where he built the station and put it on the air in 1941.

He pulled a hitch in the Navy during the war (that's World War II), and then came back to Corpus Christi where he remained until the overhaul shops closed in 1958. Just before the Korean War he pulled a stint as chief engineer at KSDX in Corpus, but went back into government service when the war came along.

He has been in the weather service engineering department since 1960 and has been assigned to Corpus Christi, Brownsville, Albuquerque and now Hondo.

He and his wife Eunice live at 808 20th in Hondo and plan to build in the Kollman Oaks section in the near future.

### Six receive certificate of merit

A certificate of Merit has been awarded to Ozelle Hostetler, Della Ambriz, Leta Leonard, Billie Cude, Mina Mullins and Evelyn Pletz by the Associated Credit Bureaus, Inc. for service to the individual consumer, the community and the credit industry.

Announcement of the award was made by John L. Spafford of Houston, president of ACB, which is an international trade association serving more than 3,400 credit bureau and collection service members in the U.S., Canada and several foreign countries.

"The Standards of achievement established for this award exemplify the service provided by these employees of the Credit Bureau Service Center, Devine, Texas," Spafford said. "It also reflects an impressive performance in meeting community civic obligations."

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## N.D. Westbrook dies in Arlington

N. D. (Duncan) Westbrook, 89, of Arlington, Texas passed away December 30, 1972. He was born and raised in Mason County,

where he made his home until moving to Arlington ten years ago.

He was buried January 1, 1973 in Bethel Cemetery in Mason County.

He is survived by his wife, Elmira; sons N. D. (Damon) Westbrook of Hondo, Rosco, Martha Ames and Leona Roscoe, all of Arlington.

## Let's get them right

It's a heck of a note to start the New Year correcting something that we did wrong in 1972. But, if I had corrected it when I told R. C. Bless at the New Frontier Restaurant I would, then it would have been in

1972. In their Christmas ad, R. C. and Norma ran these pictures of their employees and wouldn't you know we got the wrong names under two of the pictures. They should read from left to right: Virginia Vasquez,

Virginia Garcia, Carol Schoellman, Dora Cantu, Dolores Lopez, Susie Alvarez, Nora Sanchez, Elisa Gauda, Yolanda Guajardo, Vickie Guajardo, Bertha Parra, Hope Frausto, Mary Hernandez, Juanita Martinez.

## Bodiford dies in hunting accident

A hunting accident south of Tarpley in Bandera County claimed the life of S. Tony Bodiford of Tarpley, as he was either going to or returning from his hunting blind.

Bodiford was killed about six p.m. Friday, December 22, said Justice of the Peace

G. W. Ender, who ruled his death an accident. He was shot in the head with a .243 caliber rifle.

Mr. Bodiford was born September 18, 1911, in Mannsville, Oklahoma, the son of Irving Crosby Bodiford and Maude Frances Millsap Bodiford. He was a rancher

and a member of the Church of Christ. He was a Diesel mechanic.

The accident which claimed his life happened about one mile south of Tarpley on his ranch.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ola Dee Bodiford of Tarpley; three daughters,

Mrs. Joyce Dean France of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Mrs. Nauwana Jean Stowers of Madill, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Jerry Price of Angleton, Texas; one son, William C. Bodiford of Scotland; one step-daughter, Mrs. Ola Lee Robbins of Glute, Texas; two step-sons, Harold F. Herring of Hondo and Walter Dean Herring of Glute, Texas; 16 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Jessie Lee Austin of Oklahoma.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, December 26, 1972, from Plummer Funeral Home Chapel with interment in the Tarpley Cemetery. Mr. Marvin Perkins of the Boerne Church of Christ officiated.

Pallbearers were Arthur Erturt, Frankie Heinen, Floyd Smith, Kenneth Anderson, Willie Schmidt, and Felix Billings.

## Art League to organize

An Art League organizational meeting will be held Monday, January 8, at 7:30 p.m. at the City Auditorium. A discussion of the purpose and goals of the League will be held at that time.

Anyone interested in any type of art medium is urged to attend, whether you are interested in just learning more about art forms, or as a participating member.



Virginia Bietel

## Mrs. Beitel receives degree

Virginia Haby Beitel received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Medical Technology from St. Mary's University.

During four years at St. Mary's, Mrs. Beitel was dorm president, member of yearbook staff, ROTC battery sweetheart, and vice-president of the Cordettes. She was also elected to membership in Delta Epsilon Sigma, honorary fraternity composed of the top ten percent of the junior and senior classes.

Mrs. Beitel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Haby of Dunlay. She and her husband are residents of Chattanooga, Tennessee.



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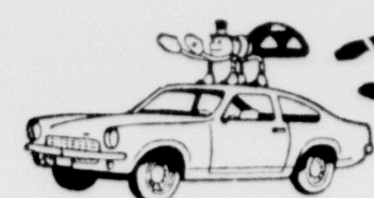
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Roy Barrios, Rosebud  
Loucrecia Zulaica, Devine  
Roque Galvan, Hondo  
Delma Ybarra, Hondo  
Tranquiline Vasquez, Hondo  
Frank Tampke, Utopia

DECEMBER 24  
Barbara Brown, Sabinal  
Alfred Winkler, Hondo  
Maximo Mares, D'Hanis

DECEMBER 25  
Josie Garcia, Yancey

DECEMBER 26  
Irma Hernandez, D'Hanis

DECEMBER 27  
Angelina Estrada, Lytle  
Rex Williamson, Hondo  
Randy Graff, Hondo

DECEMBER 28  
Maria Puente, Devine  
Robert Mouton, Hondo

DECEMBER 29  
Walter Reavis, Utopia

DECEMBER 30  
Filomeno Rodriguez, D'Hanis

DISMISSALS  
DECEMBER 23  
Roy Barrios, Rosebud  
Roque Galvan, Hondo  
Filomeno Rodriguez, D'Hanis  
Sofie Leos, Sabinal  
Maria DeLeon, Hondo  
Josephine Estrada, Lytle  
Dorothy Deal, Lytle  
Delma Ybarra, Hondo

DECEMBER 24  
Guadalupe Zulaica

DECEMBER 26  
Josie Garcia, Yancey  
Sarah Nunez, Hondo  
Johnny Mendoza, Hondo

DECEMBER 27  
Barbara Brown, Sabinal  
Irma Hernandez, D'Hanis  
Rex Williamson, Hondo  
Randy Graff, Hondo

DECEMBER 28  
Maximo Mares, D'Hanis

DECEMBER 29  
Angelina Estrada, Lytle  
Emily Wilcox, Hondo  
BABIES  
Misty Dawn to M&M  
Jimmy Brown, Sabinal, 6 lbs, 12-1/2 oz., Dec. 25.  
Joe Frank Jr. to M&M  
Joe Garcia, Yancey, 6 lbs, 13 oz., Dec. 25.  
Rosa Isela to M&M Francisco Hernandez, D'Hanis, 8 lbs, 1-1/2 oz., Dec. 26.  
Adan & Francisco to M&M Francisco Puente, Devine, 5 lbs, 9-1/2 oz & 3 lbs, 4 oz., Dec. 28.  
Rebecca to M&M Juan Estrada, Lytle, 6 lbs, 6-3/4 oz., Dec. 28.



**SALAZAR FAMILY**  
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## Kelly AFB personnel help Salazar family

Christmas was made brighter for the Salazar family of Hondo because a bunch of "eager beavers" in the Requirements and Distribution Branch of the F-102/F-106 and O-2/OV-10 Systems Management at Kelly Air Force Base adopted them for their Christmas project.

Food, clothing, bedding and a stove, chest of drawers, a washing machine and toys were delivered by personnel from the Kelly office.

The Salazar family includes Mrs. Andrea Salazar and 10 children.

Among items collected by Branch personnel were coats, dresses, pants, shirts, shoes, blankets, a bed, bed sheets, pillows and dishes. Individual Christmas presents and money envelopes were given to all members of the family. They also enjoyed a turkey dinner.

The Salazar family is waiting to move to their four bedroom home that began through the efforts of Father Emmett Carolan and was completed by the Building Trades class at Hondo High School under the supervision of Jack Heath.

## BROWN'S NURSING HOME NEWS

Mrs. George and Lee Pichot of Baytown were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pichot and also Joe Pichot. Mrs. Minnie Mumme visited friends and relatives in the nursing home.

On Dec. 21, the Sisters from Moye Formation Center, Castroville, and Father Larry Stuebben of St. Louis Catholic Church were here to visit all the residents and to have Mass.

Visiting Mrs. Regina Burrell this week were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bendele, Mrs. Bob Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome H. Bendele, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown, Red Burrell and Mrs. Frances Harmer.

Mrs. Gertrude Hester of San Antonio visited Joe, Nancy and Joe Pichot.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gonzales of San Antonio visited Mr. Emilio Gonzales and Josefina Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Collins had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robbins, Robert, Billy and James Robbins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joan Rodriguez and family of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Placido Rodriguez, who are both residents of Brown's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beavers and Jimmy visited Mrs. Louisa Neuman Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Schuehle had as her guests, her children, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Shely of Corpus Christi.

Mr. Charles Berry of San Antonio visited Mrs. Blanch Hall and Mr. Henry Franget. Also visiting Mrs. Hall on Christmas Day were Pearl Didd Nicholson of Del Rio, Texas, Mr. Chas. Berry, Mrs. Lola Berry and son of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Felipe R. Gonzales of San Antonio visited Mr. Valiente Gonzales on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alr of New Braunfels visited Mrs. Regina Burrell on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Renken of Canyon Lake Hills visited her sister, Mrs. Clara DeGroot.

Mrs. Hulda Westfall of San Antonio visited Miss Johanna Leinweber and Mr. Henry Hartman on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn R. Neuman of Kingsville visited their grandmother, Mrs. E. R. Grube on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartman and sons of Memphis, Tennessee visited their uncle, Mr. Henry Hartman on the 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Hernandez of Hart, Texas visited with Mr. Valiente Gonzales; also visiting Mr. Gonzales was Mr. Cruz Salazar of Yancey.

Mrs. Alvin Baccus of San Antonio visited her father, Mr. Joe Pichot last week; also visiting him was his wife, Mrs. Pichot, also of San Antonio.

Mrs. Willis Arnold of Spokane, Washington visited Mr. Bob Clary on the 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Leinweber of Boone visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Leinweber, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Saathoff of San Antonio visited his father, Mr. August Saathoff, on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bretan and Sean visited their grandmothers who are both residents here at the nursing home, Mrs. Bertha Hoffman and Mrs. Selma Grube.

## School lunch menu

Jan. 8-12  
MONDAY  
Corn Dogs  
Pork & Beans  
Slaw  
Oatmeal Cookies  
Milk

TUESDAY  
Polish Sausage  
Noodles  
Hot Rolls  
Butter & Jelly  
Milk

WEDNESDAY  
Enchiladas  
Pinto Beans  
Green Salad  
Cherry Jello w/Whip  
Topping  
Bread  
Milk  
Buttered Peas

THURSDAY  
Chicken-Fried Steak  
and Gravy  
Baked Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Mixed Fruit  
Bread  
Milk

FRIDAY  
Beef Soup, Crackers  
Cheese Sandwiches  
Rice Pudding  
Milk

## Business Women

The Business and Professional Women's Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, January 10, at the New Frontier Restaurant. The luncheon meeting will begin at 12 noon.

The Business and Professional Women's Association is composed of all ladies in the area who are involved in the business community. New members are invited to attend.

## 4-H News

The 4-H Club Unit I met Dec. 4. The prayer was led by Brian Bader. Motto and pledge by Brett Bader. Roll call and minutes by Jo Ann Coffey.

The minutes were approved as read. Treasurer report by Garland Bader. The program was a recreation workshop. The starter by Vince and Tim Gilliam, songs Jeanette and Mariette Aelvoet, active games Judy Helligman and David Geuea, stetcher Vickie Gilliam and quite game by Andy Gilliam.

We wish all my friends  
a New Year of every happiness.  
**Lelia and Joe SAWERS**

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## Weather

RAINFALL

Hondo recorded an inch of rain during the two-day siege of drizzle which began on New Year's Day. So, the 1973 total already stands at one inch.

**Card of Thanks**

Mr. and Mrs. Dugger wish to express their sincere thanks to the many friends and relatives and to their Pastor Weimers for all the prayers, cards and flowers received during his long period of recovery. May 1973 hold only good things for you and yours in our special wish.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dugger 1-4-73

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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BRANCH OFFICE**

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Savings and Loan Commissioner of the State of Texas for the approval of a branch office for MEDINA SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, Hondo, Medina County, Texas, such branch office to be located at:

321 E. San Marcos Street  
Pearsall, Frio County, Texas.

A hearing will be held on the application at 9:30 a.m. on the 10th day of April, 1973 at the office of the Savings and Loan Department of Texas, 1010 Lavaca, Austin, Texas.

If no written notice of intention to appear in person or by attorney, to protest said application is received by the Savings and Loan Commissioner from one or more persons on or before April 8, 1973, the said hearing may be dispensed with by order of the Savings and Loan Commissioner.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION									
Ass'n Name		MEDINA SAVINGS ASSOCIATION				Charter Date		April 12, 1965	
Street Address		1401 19th Street,				Date Issued		March 6, 1969	
City	Hondo	State	Texas	Zip	78861	No. Approved Branches		None	
County	Medina					No. Operating Branches		None	
President		Art Formann*				Exec. Vice President			
Vice President						Secretary		Mary L. Laughinghouse	
(Managing Officer designated by asterisk)									

STATEMENT OF CONDITION—DECEMBER 31, 1972	
ASSETS	
First mortgage loans outstanding	5,615,664
Loans on savings accounts	169,733
Property Improvement Loans	5,240
Personal Loans	285,237
Real estate owned	6,535
Land purchased for development	
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	31,900
Cash on hand and in banks	671,091
Office building, less depreciation	65,818
Furniture, fixtures and equipment, less depreciation	5,672
Other Assets	400
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>6,863,290</b>
CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES	
Savings Accounts	5,776,697
Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank of Little Rock	335,000
Other borrowed money	125,000
Loans in process	151,390
Advance payments by borrower for taxes and insurance	7,462
Other liabilities	7,871
Deferred credits to future operations	43,109
Permanent Reserve fund stock	251,010
General reserves:	
Legal reserve and/or Federal Insurance Reserve	70,201
Other reserves	3,050
Surplus or Undivided Profits	187,560
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES</b>	<b>6,863,290</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF MEDINA

We, Art Formann as President, and G.M. Harrison as Treasurer of the Medina Savings Association located at Hondo, Texas, each of us do solemnly swear that the statement of condition as of December 31, 1972 submitted herewith is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CORRECT-ATTEST

Art Formann, President G.M. Harrison, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1973  
Mary L. Laughinghouse, Notary Public, Medina County, Texas



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Single, ranch hand, live on premises, experienced rocklayer, fence builder, carpenter, axeman, mower tractor chainsaw operator. Clean brush, climb high trees, prune and clear moss. Write Box 34, Rio Medina, Texas 78066. Empleo necesario soltero, debe quedarse para trabajo general de rancho, con experiencia, de albanil, carpintero, manejar tractor, serrucho de cadena y subir a podar arboles grandes. Dirjase ha Box 34, Rio Medina, Texas 78066. 1-4-tfc

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## 104-Real Estate For Sale

House for sale: 1211 24th St. For information call 426-2939. 10-5-tfc

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## 104-Real Estate For Sale continued

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I need land listings. Patrick M. Vance with Mae Burkhardt Realtors, San Antonio, Phone 828-6235, residence 533-9595. 8-10-tfc

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## Regular Meetings

**PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION**  
4th Tuesday Each Month  
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City Hall—Hondo



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## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each and everyone for the many acts of kindness, for all who sent cards, gifts, visits, and phone calls during my recent illness. Special thanks to Rev. Hannon for his visits and prayers. Also thanks to the neighbors and relatives who were so kind and took me to the doctor. Your kindness will always be remembered.  
Louis Geuea 1-4-tfc

I wish to thank the many relatives and friends who were so thoughtful to send beautiful flowers and cards during my stay in the hospital. Also a special thanks to the hospital staff, Dr. W. B. Meyer, Rev. Dubberly and Father Steubben.  
Clarence Muenink 1-4-tfp

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends for the kindness of food, flowers and cards in the loss of our son and brother, Travis E. Johnson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson 1-4-tfc

We wish to express our thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful flowers, food, memorials, and other kindnesses we are deeply grateful. Special thanks to Rev. Hannon, staff of Guinn-Horger and all persons responsible for the military tribute. May God Bless you all.  
The Travis E. Johnson Family 1-4-tfp

## Legal Notice

### The Medina County Junior Stock Show Association is

hereby advertising for bids of any organization interested in the concession stand rights for the County Livestock Show on February 5 and 6, 1972, at the Hondo Stock Show grounds. Bids are to be sent to Glenn Bragg, Drawer D, Hondo, Texas 78861, not later than January 5, 1973. These bids are to be opened on January 9, 1973.

The Medina County Junior Stock Show Association will have a 10 X 10 commercial exhibit space available for \$15.00. Anyone interested in purchasing exhibit space in the New Show Barn should contact Glenn Bragg, County Extension Agent, Pub: Dec. 21 & 28, 1972

**NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE MEDINA COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 2, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS:-**

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Medina County Water Control & Improvement District No. 2, D'Hanis, Texas, on Tuesday the 9th day of January, 1973, between the hours of 8 A. M. & 6 P. M., for the purpose of electing 2 Directors for said District, The Medina County Water Control & Improvement District No. 2.

The (2) Directors elected at such election shall serve for a term of two years or until their successors are elected and qualified. Notice for candidacy for such election must be filed with the Secretary not later than the 4th day of January 1973.

The Polling place for the said election will be the Fire House, at D'Hanis, Texas, and the following persons have been appointed officers for said Election: Clemens Finger, Judge, Ed S. Koch, Associate Judge and Clayton Nester, Clerk.

Issued this 18th day of December 1972, pursuant to an order passed by the Board of Directors of the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2, 18th day of December 1972.

Jack Zinsmeyer, President  
ATTEST  
John B. Nester---

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Medina Electric Cooperative, Inc., has filed with the Federal Government a Compliance Assurance in which it assures the Rural Electrification Administration that it will comply fully with all requirements on Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Agriculture issued thereunder, to the end that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the conduct of its program and the operation of its facilities. Under this Assurance, this organization is committed not to discriminate against any person on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin in its policies and practices relating to applicants for service or any other policies and practices relating to treatment of beneficiaries and participants including rates, conditions and extension of service, use of any of its facilities, attendance at and participation in any meetings of beneficiaries and participants or the exercise of any rights of such beneficiaries and participants in the conduct of the operations of this organization.

Any person who believes himself, or any specific class of individuals, to be subjected by this organization to discrimination prohibited by Title VI of the Act and the Rules and Regulations issued thereunder may, by himself or a representative, file with the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250, or the Rural Electrification Administration, Washington, D. C. 20250, or this organization, or all, a written complaint. Such complaint must be filed not later than 90 days after the alleged discrimination, or by such later date to which the Secretary of Agriculture or the Rural Electrification Administration extends the time for filing. Identity of complainants will be kept confidential except to the extent necessary to carry out the purposes of the Rules and Regulations. Medina Electric Cooperative, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer.

Pub: January 4, 1973

## Invitation For Bids

Sealed bids addressed to the  
Project Coordinator, Castrovilla Regional Park,  
City Hall, Castrovilla, Texas

will be received for the construction of a swimming pool in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the City Hall. A twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) refundable deposit will be required on each set of plans and specifications, which can be obtained at the office of

**Harry Jewett Associates, 1800 Plaza West**  
1800 N. E. Loop 410  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78217

Bids will be received at the City Hall in Castrovilla until 2:00 p.m. of January 12, 1973, and then publicly opened and read aloud.

The construction of this proposed swimming pool is in conjunction with the development of the Castrovilla Regional Park, EDA Project No. 08-11-01342.

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## Owls take district basketball wins

The Hondo Owls started out the District 28-AA basketball season on a good bounce, taking Cotulla by a 63-48 win last Friday night in the Hondo High School Gym.

The victory brought the Owls' record to just-even, four and four.

It wasn't all that easy to subdue the Cowboys, either. After taking a 33-22 lead at halftime, the Owls saw Cotulla pull to within seven

points after the third quarter.

But in the final stanza the Owls re-opened the gap as three of Coach Dan Keath's cagers scored in double figures. Pacing the Owl attack was Keith Ligon's 20 points, followed by 17 for Doug Helvey and 14 for Brian Finger. Three Owls fouled out of the game.

Perhaps more impressive than the scoring of the Owls was the Hondo defense, against which Cotulla hit only 15 baskets. However, the Cowboys converted 18 free throws to make up the difference.

The Hondo Owls protected their undefeated status in district basketball play by defeating District 28-AA rival Medina Valley 53-49 in a come-from-behind victory Tuesday evening at the Medina Valley gym.

The Owls were down 25-15 at halftime, but outscored the Panthers 22-11 in the third quarter, and 16-13 in the fourth for their second

district win against no losses.

Doug Helvey led Hondo with 13 points, followed by Ray Garcia and Brian Finger with 12 and 11 points, respectively.

The Panthers' Jerome Pitts led all scorers with his 20-point total.

The Owls also took the B-Team game by a 43-41 margin, but dropped the Freshman game to the MV freshmen by a single point.

Tomorrow (Friday) night, the Owls will entertain Carizo Springs at the Hondo High School Gym. The B-Team game will begin at 6:30, followed by the Varsity game at 8 p.m. This and all future games this season will be district contests.

## Hunters, P&W Dept. agree — 1972 was a very good year

With the end of deer season, some comparisons can be made between this season and those of past years.

The harvest appears to have been fairly high this year, according to the men who pack the deer—both Super Sav and Nester's reported over 150 deer dressed out, even before the New Year's Weekend.

Stories about the one that got away are going to have to be pretty tall to impress anyone this year, because some honest-to-goodness trophies were brought in for official registration in Jake Schuehle's annual deer contest.

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These raccoons

... had better hide this weekend for the Hondo Young Farmers are holding their annual barbecue and coon hunt Saturday, January 6, on the Colby Joe Heyen ranch. After a barbecue supper at 6:30 p.m. for members and their wives and a program on game hunting, all interested members will participate in a coon hunt. Since varmint hides are bringing a good price this season, it is expected that a number of the furry creatures will be minus their skins this winter. The Heyen ranch is located 12 miles northeast of Hondo on the old Bandera Road.

The 1972 winners are: Heaviest buck—Miriam Jungman of LaCoste, who killed a 144 pounder on the Gross Ranch; Heaviest doe—31-3/4 pounds, killed by Gary Corbell of San Antonio on the Wiemers Ranch; Most points—sixteen, on a buck killed on the Joe W. Short Ranch by Harry Farr of Sabinal; Widest spread—Ricky Keller of LaCoste, whose buck from the Gross Ranch had a 20-1/4 inch rack.

In the turkey beard division, Donald Biediger of San Antonio killed a gobbler on the Kaufmann Ranch with a beard that measured 12-1/4 inches. Schuehle reported that "more entries than ever" were received in the contest. Going back a few years shows a trend in the winners toward lighter deer, but an interesting fact is that, while winners these days are not as heavy as those when the contest was started around 1950, points and spread have not changed very much at all. Back in 1963, the

winning heaviest buck weighed 165 pounds; in 1967, 152 pounds; in 1969, 149; in 1971, only 135. The all-time winner for number of points was a 22-pointer buck in the sixties which went on to win the San Antonio Light contest with credit for 24 points, thanks to two freak points that Jake didn't allow. Speaking of freaks, they show a trend, too. In 1964, Jake's contest still had a freak-horn category, and 25 entries showed up in that class. By 1965, 21 were entered, and in 1966, only eight. Since then the category was dropped due to the declining number of freaks among the herd. Biologists credit this trend to improved breeding stock among deer, and improved range-

## Three Jan. golf events planned

Hondo Golf Pro Virgil Krenmueller reports that three tournaments will be held during January.

They include two Pro-Ams and a Scotch Foursome, beginning on Saturday, January 13.

Saturday afternoon, January 13, will see the New Year's first Pro-Am tee off, with a shotgun start at 1 p.m.

Entry deadline for this tourney is at 12:30 p.m. It is a handicap tournament with maximum handicap of 18. Entry fee will be \$5 plus green fee, and participants may make their own

foursome. The next day, Sunday, January 14, will see a Scotch Foursome, beginning at 1 p.m.

Deadline for entry in this event will be a half hour before tee-off, at 12:30. Entry fee is set at \$2 plus green fee.

A second Pro-Am will be held on Saturday, January 27. Rules for that tourney will be the same as those for the January 13 event.

Questions about entry in any tournament can be answered by seeing Virgil Krenmueller at the Pro Shop or calling 426-8825.

## Winter dove season to start Saturday

Once again it's time to polish the stock, clean the barrel, and re-load the empty cartridges from your deer rifle, and unpack, dust off, and load up the shotgun.

Even though quail season has been going on since November 18 (and many sportsmen completely forsake deer season for quail shooting), it will continue on through the month of January, until sundown on January 31, 1973. That's not really news.

What's news is that not only can you shoot horizontally at fluttering bobwhites and blues, but this year you can also shoot straight up at those big, fat, juicy northern doves that never make it south during dove season.

Beginning January 6 (Saturday) and continuing through Sunday, January 21, mourning doves may be killed in the South zone, which includes Medina County.

This will be the first time that this experimental season has been tried, and it may be just what area shot-gunners have been wishing for—a chance to legally blast those doves which don't arrive till just after closing day of the regular season, but blacken the sides during deer season.

As in the regular autumn season the daily bag limit is ten birds, and the possession limit is 20.

And don't forget to keep that shotgun plugged to three shell capacity.

### Gems o' wisdom

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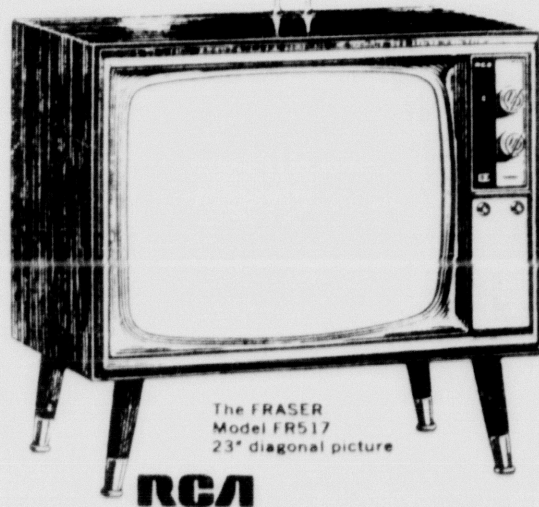
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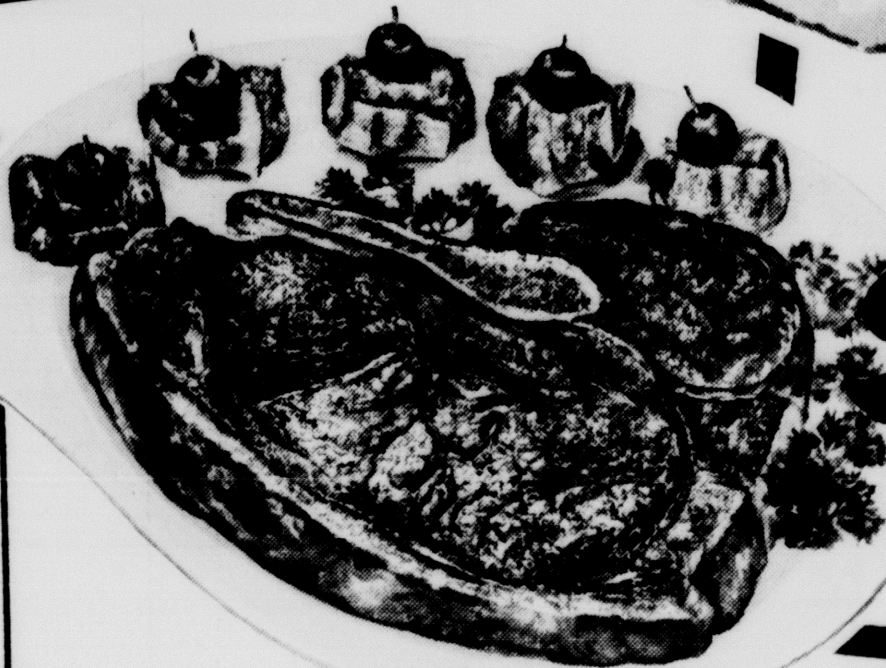
RIB CUT  
**CLUB  
STEAKS**  
POUND...

**\$1.19**



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THE RIGHT TO  
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**SIRLOIN  
STEAK**  
LB. **\$1.19**

SHOULDER ROUND

**ROAST** LB. **89¢**

TOP ROUND

**STEAK** LB. **\$1.19**

CALF

**LIVER** LB. **69¢**

COUNTRY CUT

**PORK RIBS** LB. **75¢**

NESTER'S PURE PORK PAN

**SAUSAGE** LB. **79¢**

**CHUCK  
STEAK**  
LB. **85¢**

CENTER CUT  
**PORK  
CHOPS**  
LB. **89¢**

**RUMP  
ROAST**  
LB. **99¢**

HORMEL MKT.  
SLICED  
**BACON**  
LB. **95¢**

DIAMOND  
**FOIL**  
25 FT. ROLL **25¢**

BLUE BONNET  
**Margarine**  
LB. **35¢**

WOLF  
**PLAIN  
CHILI**  
NOZ CAN. **69¢**

PRICES  
GOOD FOR  
JAN. 3-4-5  
6-8-9th  
1973

**PINTO  
BEANS**  
4 LB. BAG. **59¢**

FOUGER'S  
**COFFEE** 2 LB. **\$1.85**  
LB. **93¢**

Q & Q  
**VERMICELLI** 3 LB. **29¢**  
502. SIZE

KEEBLER GRAHAM  
**CRACKERS** 41¢  
PKG.

LIBBY'S PINEAPPLE  
**JUICE** 4602. **39¢**

HUNT'S SNACK PAK  
**PUDDING** 59¢

BUTTERKRUST  
**BREAD** 33¢ LOAF **31¢**

DEL MONTE  
**SPINACH** 2 LB. **39¢**  
NO. 303 CAN.

COFFEE  
**MATE** 302. **27¢**

CHARMAN GRADE A LGE.  
**EGGS** DOZ. **65¢**

LIBBY'S C.S. OR W.K.  
**CORN** 4 LB. **1.19**  
NO. 303 CAN.

KOZY KITTEN  
**CAT FOOD** 9 LB. **99¢**

602.  
**NYQUIL** **\$1.29**

DEL MONTE  
**CATSUP** 2002. SIZE **39¢**

SANI-  
**FLUSH** 392. SIZE **55¢**

HEAD & SHOULDERS  
**SHAMPOO** REG. TUBE **89¢**

SUNSHINE  
**PIMIENTOS** 2 LB. **37¢**  
201.

POST SUGAR  
**CRISPS** 1502. **59¢**

BIG VALUE NOTEBOOK  
**PAPER** 500LT. **79¢**

VELVEETA  
**CHEESE**  
2 LB. PKG. **\$1.15**

PIONEER  
**PANCAKE  
MIX**  
2 LB. PKG. **49¢**

**FROZEN FOODS**

**FRESH PRODUCE**

TEXSUN  
**ORANGE  
JUICE** 602. CAN. **59¢**

CREAMY  
**AVOCADOS** LGE. **19¢**

FORE MOST  
**BIG DIP** 1/2 GAL. **59¢**

**TANGERINES** LB. **25¢**

SEA STAR  
**FISH STICKS** PKG. **29¢**

**LETTUCE** HQ **23¢**

MORTON'S BREAD  
**DOUGH** PKG. **39¢**

**LEMONS** LB. **19¢**

**POTATOES** 8 LB. **65¢**

**NESTER'S  
SUPER  
MARKET**  
426-2241



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From Medina County Courthouse

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2001 14th HONDO 426-8829

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SHOP OUR EVERYDAY FOOD SPECIALS

Loose Apco <b>FRANKS</b> Lb. <b>55¢</b>	Kimbell <b>DETERGENT</b> GIANT SIZE BOX <b>59¢</b>	Bake-Rite <b>SHORTENING</b> 69¢
Pound <b>STEAK</b> Lb. <b>\$1.19</b>	White Wings <b>FLOUR</b> 69¢	HORMEL <b>LARD</b> \$1.19
<b>PORK</b> <b>CHOPS</b> Lb. <b>89¢</b>	5 Lb.-bag	<b>LETTUCE</b>
<b>CHUCK</b> <b>STEAK</b> Lb. <b>85¢</b>	<b>PET MILK</b>	HEAD Ea. <b>29¢</b>
Market Sliced <b>BACON</b> <b>89¢</b>	3 TALL CANS FOR <b>69¢</b>	<b>ORANGES</b> 59¢
<b>SALAMI</b> Lb. <b>69¢</b>	<b>JALAPENO PEPPERS</b>	5 lb. bag
Butter Krust <b>HOT DOG &amp; HAM BURGER BUNS</b> Ea. <b>31¢</b>	Rosita 1 Gal. Can <b>\$1.19</b>	Delicious <b>APPLES</b> 69¢
	Kimbell Solid <b>MARGARINE</b>	3 lb. bag
	<b>2 for 49¢</b>	<b>SWEET Louisiana POTATOES</b> 35¢
Dad's <b>BIG RED ROOT BEER</b> 49¢	<b>RIVER RICE</b> 2 Lb. Box <b>35¢</b>	

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Michael Glenn Coyne and Linda Kay Yarbrough, Dec. 22.  
Jack Curtis Hall and Eva Bernice Pierce, Dec. 26.  
Patrick Charles West and Sharon Rae Williams, Dec. 27.

Ramon Bernal Villa, Jr. and Mary Esther Ytuarte, Dec. 27.  
NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS  
Jim West, Devine, Chev. Nova, Venita L. Harper, Hondo, Ford, Executive Medical Leasing Corp., San Antonio, Chev. Nova, Wgn.

Antonio, Chev. Nova, Emilio Cortez, San Antonio, Chev. Jesse Herrera, San Antonio, Chev. PU, Ray Navarro, Sr., Devine, Ford, Lucille G. Griley, San Antonio, Ford, C. W. Hallard, Eagle Pass, Ford PU, Tom Reygradas, San Antonio, Ford, John Allen Babineaux, San Antonio, Ford PU, Noah R. Furr, San Antonio, Ford PU.

Joseph Pettibon, Castroville, Ford Station Wagon, R. D. Simmons, Sr., San Antonio, Chev. Vega Wgn.

Paul W. Marbach, Devine, Chev. Leopoldo Arispe, Laredo, Chev. PU, William H. Higbie, San Antonio, Chev. PU, Herlinda B. Cuellar, Converse, Chev. H. D. Savage, Devine, Chev. Carolyn L. Oreschnigg, Kingsville, Buick, Richard A. Culpepper, San Antonio, Chev. PU, J. W. Alley, Jr., Uvalde,

Chev. Kingswood Wgn. Willie Leal, Poteet, Chev. PU, James L. Flora, Devine, Ford PU, Barbara J. Clark, San Antonio, Ford, Richard Oropeza, Atascosa, Ford PU, R. L. Busby, Jr., Devine, Ford PU, E. C. Graham, Devine, Ford PU, Mary Alice Biediger, Moore, Ford, V. C. Parker, San Antonio,

Chev. Wgn. James L. Rotramel-Forest W. Rotramel, Devine, Ford PU, John Robert Whittington, Luling, Chev. 2S Wgn. George H. English, San Antonio, Chev. PU, Freddie H. Harris, San Antonio, Chev. PU, Phillip R. Lopez, Houston, Chev. C. C. Gildart, Startzville, Chev. El Camino.

### Consumers Want to Know

What's the score on enzymes in laundering products? Are they safe or not?

They have been cleared as safe. On April 14, 1972 the Federal Trade Commission announced that it has closed its investigation of possible health hazards associated with the use of enzymes in household detergents. The action was based on its view that currently available evidence of a health hazard is insufficient to warrant any action at the present time and follows the report of the National Academy of Sciences/National Research Council on enzyme-containing laundering compounds and consumer

health that was issued November 17, 1971.

When I want to complain about advertising, whom should I write to?

If the objectionable advertising originates locally, file your complaint with the Better Business Bureau. If it's national, send the complaint in writing to: National Advertising Review Board, 850 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022. Be specific about when and where you saw or heard the ad, particularly if it's radio or TV. If it's a printed advertisement, send the original ad with your letter.

## Noonan -Pearson News

DELATED ITEMS  
Mrs. J. E. Klump visited Mrs. Leroy Stein and son last Tuesday.

Rev. Larry Steubbin visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart last Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Tschirhart has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken were at Lytle and LaCoste Tuesday.

Mrs. Leroy Stein and son were in Castroville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken were in San Antonio on Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Tschirhart and Mrs. Maurice Haby were in Devine Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stein and son attended a Christmas party with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gass and family on Thursday evening.

Miss Debbie Gass was a

brief visitor in the Leroy Stein home last Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and Allen Ihnken were at Castroville Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Mitchell was at Lytle Saturday.

Oscar Tschirhart was a brief visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tschirhart and son, Gerald, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ihnken all visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haby at Castroville Friday evening.

Tony Orozco spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Delgado and family in

San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tschirhart visited in the Albert Tschirhart home Saturday.

## Happy Birthday

JANUARY 5  
Mrs. Wilfred Boshle  
Otto Hutzler  
Mrs. Wallace Lutz  
Mary Ruth Cameron  
JANUARY 6  
Marvin Bohmfalk  
Harry Mueller, Jr.  
Michael Shomette  
JANUARY 7  
A. O. Beck  
Danny McGrath  
Rosalee Iltis  
Ronnie Reitzer  
Myra Lynn McCartney  
JANUARY 8  
J. W. Yarbrough  
Carolyn Jean Bendele  
Billy Maney  
Andrew Mueumink  
Neil Finger  
Clarence Stein

JANUARY 9  
Mrs. Fritz Tondre  
Susan Bendele  
Mrs. Edward Bohl  
Margie Mangold  
Arthur A. Brucks  
Jeffrey Dale Carter  
Gary Mark Sturm  
JANUARY 10  
Spette Bendele  
Mrs. Dorman Michaelson  
Barbara Marie Groff  
Gertrude Bates  
JANUARY 11  
Sandra K. Hall  
Claude Tschirhart  
Ray Griggs  
Mrs. Hilmer Haegelin  
Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler, Jr.  
Mrs. Otto Bippert  
Kathy Ann Schott  
Max Bush  
Marvin Lee Niebuhr

## Want Something Special?

YOU'LL FIND IT HERE - ANYTIME - SPECIALLY PRICED!

**G & M**  
FOOD STORE  
1109-17th ST.  
HONDO, TEXAS

**TIDE**  
GNT. BOX **79¢**

**DEL MONTE**  
FRUIT DRINKS  
ORANGE, MERRY CHERRY, GRAPE & TROPICAL  
**4 46 Oz. Can \$1**

**Clorox Bleach** 1/2 Gal. Jug. **39¢**  
**Pinto Beans** 4 Lb. Bag **59¢**  
**COFFEE** 1 Lb. Can **98¢**  
**OLEO** 1 Lb. Can **23¢**

**U.S.D.A. GOOD BEEF**  
CHUCK **ROAST** 1 Lb. **79¢**  
**HORMEL ALL MEAT**  
**BOLOGNA** 1 Lb. **69¢**  
**GRADE "A" WHOLE**  
**FRYERS** 1 Lb. **37¢**

**BORDEN'S**  
LO-FAT MILK **64¢**

**SHORTENING**  
**CRISCO** 3 Lb. CAN **89¢**

**LIBBY'S**  
DEEP BROWN **PORK & BEANS** 14 Oz. Can **15¢**

**LIBBY'S**  
GARDEN SWEET **PEAS** 303 Can **27¢**

**CARNATION**  
SPREADABLES ALL FLAVORS **7 1/2 Oz. Can 59¢**

**CHARMIN**  
TISSUE ASST. & WHITE 4 Roll Pak **45¢**

**U.S. NO. 1 RUSSSET**  
**POTATOES** 10 Lb. BAG **89¢**  
**LARGE CREAMY**  
**AVOCADOS** EA. **25¢**  
**GOLDEN RIDE**  
**BANANAS** 1 Lb. **15¢**

**LIBBY'S CUT REG.** 303 Can **25¢**  
**LIBBY'S** 8 Oz. Can **11¢**  
**DEL MONTE** 2 Qt. Jugs **\$1.00**  
**CATSUP** 24 Oz. Can **43¢**  
**DINTY MOORE** 26 Oz. Can **29¢**  
**FRANCO AMERICAN** SPAGHETTI

**LIBBY'S**  
FRUIT **Cocktail** 303 Can **29¢**

**LIBBY'S**  
BARTLET **PEARS** 303 Can **35¢**

**KNOW A BARGAIN**  
WHEN YOU SEE ONE? LOOK HERE

**LIBBY'S**  
BARTLET **PEARS** 303 Can **35¢**

**CEBHARDT'S**  
**CHILI** With Beans 300 Can **37¢**

**G & M**  
FOOD STORE  
1109-17th ST.  
HONDO, TEXAS

## KRME TOP 20

1. SHE'S GOT TO BE A SAINT --Ray Price
  2. SOUL SONG --Joe Stampley
  3. KATY DID --Porter Wagoner
  4. PRETEND I NEVER HAPPENED --Waylon Jennings
  5. IS THIS THE BEST I'M GONNA FEEL? --Don Gibson
  6. LOVIN' ON BACK STREETS --Mel Street
  7. SHE NEEDS SOMEONE TO HOLD HER --Conway Twitty
  8. I WONDER IF THEY EVER THINK OF ME --Merle Haggard
  9. LOVE'S THE ANSWER/JAMESTOWN FERRY --Tanya Tucker
  10. SHE LOVES ME (RIGHT OUT OF MY MIND) --Freddie Weller
  11. OLD DOGS, CHILDREN & WATERMELON WINE --Tom T. Hall
  12. PASS ME BY/JEALOUS HEART --Johnny Rodriguez
  13. CATFISH JOHN --Johnny Russell
  14. DO YOU KNOW WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE LONESOME? --Jerry Wallace
  15. RATED X --Loretta Lynn
  16. SING ME A LOVE SONG TO BABY --Billy Walker
  17. SHE'S MY ROCK --Stoney Edwards
  18. GOT THE ALL OVERS FOR YOU --Freddie Hart
  19. HELLO, WE'RE LONELY --Patti Page & Tom T. Hall
  20. A PICTURE OF ME (WITHOUT YOU) --George Jones
- PICK HIT: "YOU TOOK THE RAMBLIN' OUT OF ME" --Jerry Reed
- FEATURED ALBUM: "SLIPPIN' AROUND WITH RAY PILLOW"

**KRME**  
**1460**  
RADIO MEDINA \* HONDO





# Hunt's ToMaTo-RaMa '73

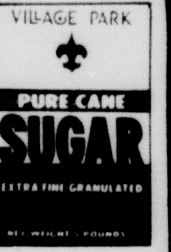


## VILLAGE PARK SUGAR

5 POUND BAG

**59¢**

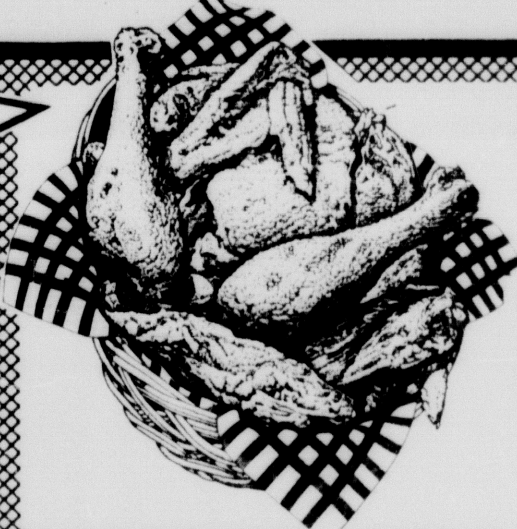
Limit 1 With \$5 Purchase Addls. 69¢



**HUNT'S KETCHUP**  
14 OZ. BOTTLE

**25¢**

GOLD STAR SPECIAL



## FRYERS

GOLDEN FARM FRESH WHOLE

POUND... **33¢**

**SHOULDER ROUND STEAK**  
USDA GOOD BEEF  
POUND... **99¢**

Center Cuts  
**SEVEN BONE STEAK** Lb. **89¢**  
Lean Beef  
**BONELESS STEW MEAT** Lb. **99¢**  
Ranch Country, 1#  
**SLICED BACON** Lb. **89¢**  
Ranch Country, 12 oz.  
**ALL MEAT FRANKS** Pkg. **59¢**

Pan Ready  
**CUT UP FRYERS** Lb. **35¢**  
White Meat  
**FRYER BREAST** Lb. **59¢**  
Ready to Fry  
**FRYER LEGS** Lb. **65¢**  
Freshly Cut  
**FRYER THIGHS** Lb. **59¢**

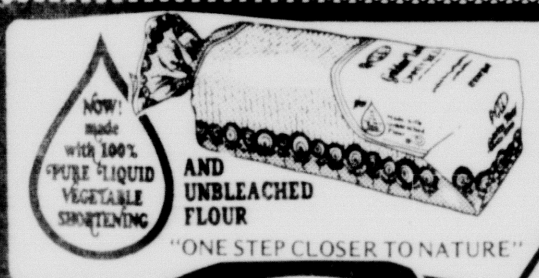
**RIB STEAK**  
FAMILY PACKAGE  
POUND..... **95¢**



## CHUCK ROAST

BLADE CUT  
POUND... **79¢**

**WEB GOLDEN SERVICE**



**HUNT'S TOMATO SAUCE**  
8 OUNCE CAN

**10¢**



GOLD STAR SPECIAL



**RED RIPE STRAWBERRIES**  
FULL BASKET EACH..... **39¢**

Mary Ellen Pkg. of 4  
**DESSERT SHELLS** Ea. **25¢**

CALIFORNIA  
LARGE SIZE  
**AVOCADOS**  
EACH **19¢**

\* MARY ELLEN BAKERY

**PEACH PIE** REG. 69¢ 8" SIZE EACH **49¢**  
**POCKET ROLLS** STRUSSEL REG. 35¢ EACH PKG. OF 6 **29¢**  
FAMILY SIZE 8" DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE \$1.49 EACH  
GLAZED CINNAMON ROLL DONUTS PKG. OF 6 **59¢**  
BLUEBERRY MUFFINS PKG. OF 4 **69¢**  
ASSORTED COOKIES 5 DOZEN **\$1.00**

**WESSON OIL**  
24 OZ. BOTTLE

**59¢**



GOLD STAR SPECIAL

FOIL WRAPPED  
**MUMS**  
FRESH 6 INCH POT **25¢**

Fresh Good Size  
**CORN SQUASH** Lb. **19¢**  
Fresh Green  
**CABBAGE** Lb. **10¢**  
Fresh #1 Cello Bag  
**CARROTS** Ea. **19¢**

Fresh Green  
**LETTUCE** Head Ea. **29¢**  
Cello Bag  
**SOUP BUNCH** Ea. **59¢**  
Fresh Green Lb.  
**JALAPENO PEPPERS** 39¢  
**YELLOW ONIONS** Lb. **15¢**  
Texas 5# Bag  
**ORANGES** Ea. **49¢**  
Bag Wild  
**BIRDSEED** Ea. **59¢**

Kraft Pure 1/2 Gal. Fresh  
**ORANGE JUICE** Ea. **92¢**

**TANGERINES**  
FRESH JUICY POLINO..... **19¢**

**EGGPLANT**  
FRESH NICE SIZE EACH..... **19¢**

**CHICKEN OF THE SEA TUNA**  
CHUNK STYLE, NO 1/2 CAN



**39¢**

GOLD STAR SPECIAL

### \* HUNT'S QUALITY PRODUCTS

HUNT'S, ASSORTED FLAVORS  
**SKILLET DINNERS** REG. BOX **79¢**  
HUNT'S, ASSORTED FLAVORS  
**SNACK PACKS** 4-5 OZ. CANS **59¢**  
**TOMATOES** HUNT'S SOLID PACK NO. 2 1/2 CAN **39¢**  
**TOMATO PASTE** HUNT'S **35¢**  
**PINTO BEANS** RECLEANED 4 LB. CELLO **59¢**  
**BLEACH** SILVEX LIQUID 1 GALLON BOTTLE **39¢**  
**COFFEE** H.E.B. PREMIUM LB. VAC **79¢**  
**PEAS** GREEN GIANT NO. 303 CAN **25¢**  
**CAKE MIX** Duncan Hines Reg. .... **39¢**  
**Grapefruit Juice** H.E.B. 46 OZ. CAN **45¢**

### \* QUICK FIX FROZEN FOODS

**POT PIES** H.E.B. CHICKEN TURKEY OR BEEF 8 OZ. PACKAGE **19¢**  
**ORANGE JUICE** H.E.B. 12 OZ. CAN **43¢**  
**BRUSSEL SPROUTS** WESTPAC 8 OZ. PKG. **29¢**  
**DINNER FRIES** ORE IDA POTATOES 1 1/2 LB. BAG **45¢**  
**CUT OKRA** WESTPAC 10 OZ. PKG. **29¢**  
**ORANGE PLUS** BREAKFAST DRINK 9 OZ. CAN **59¢**  
**BREAD DOUGH** BRIDGEMORE BAKE IN BOX 16 OZ. SIZE **25¢**  
**STEW VEGETABLES** WESTPAC 1 1/2 LB. BAG **39¢**  
**BAK-A-TATA** HOLLOWAY HOUSE, CHEESE OR SOUR CREAM 10 OZ. SIZE **35¢**  
**PIZZA** CHEF BOY AR DEE SAUSAGE OR PEPPERONI 14 OZ. SIZE **89¢**  
**STRAWBERRIES** BIRD'S EYE WHOLE 16 OZ. PACKAGE **59¢**  
**MUFFIN ROUNDS** MORTON'S BLUEBERRY & CINNAMON APPLE 9 OZ. SIZE **39¢**  
**BEEF ENCHILADAS** PATIO 2 COUNT 8 OZ. SIZE **45¢**

### \* ICE CREAM TREATS

Park Manor  
**MELLORINE** ..... 1/2 Gal. **39¢**

LIME CARAMEL 22 Oz. <b>29¢</b>	Parkvale STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 2 Lb. <b>59¢</b>	Ocean Spray CRANBERRY SAUCE No 303 Can <b>29¢</b>
Silvex FABRIC SOFTNER 1/2 Gal. <b>65¢</b>	Village Park SALAD OIL 48 Oz. <b>79¢</b>	Parkvale PINEAPPLE PRESERVES 2 Lb. <b>59¢</b>

### LISTERINE ANTISEPTIC



20 OZ. SIZE WITH 4 OZS. FREE MFGRS. 1.69

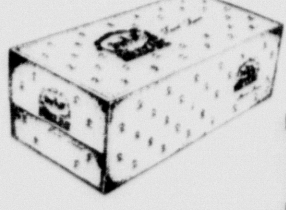
**87¢**

MULTIFILAMENT  
**PANTY HOSE**  
SILKY SMOOTH FIT WITH PROPORTIONED SIZES FASHION SHADES STYLE 75¢



**88¢**

### PARKLANE FACIAL TISSUE



BOX OF 200'S  
AVOCADO  
WHITE  
PINK  
GOLD

**19¢**

3 PC. WHITE GLASS  
**MIXING BOWL SET**

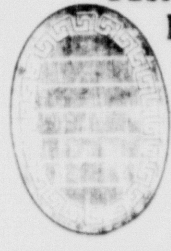
BY ANCHOR HOCKING  
ONE 1QT., ONE 2 QT., ONE 3 QT.  
BOWL-OUR REG. PRICE 1.99



**1.66**

### 4 PC. PLACE MAT SETS

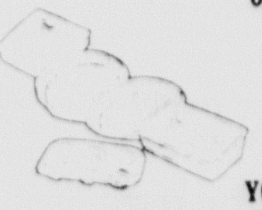
HEAVY VINYL WITH SCULPTURED DESIGNS "WIPES CLEAN WITH EASE" SIX COLORS TO CHOOSE FROM  
PROTECTS YOUR TABLE



REG. 1.00 PKG. **66¢**

### BONANZA! ALUMINUM BAKEWARE

CHOOSE FROM 2 QT. ALUMINUM PUDDING PAN, 6 CUP ALUMINUM MUFFIN PAN, LAYER CAKE PAN, SQUARE CAKE PAN, COOKIE BISQUIT PAN, BREAD AND LOAF PAN, PIZZA PAN, LAYER CAKE PAN WITH CUTTER OBLONG CAKE PAN



YOUR CHOICE **49¢**



# Our Man "TONY" Mendoza



Says...

THAT IN 1973 WE PROMISE TO...

DO THE 'VERY BEST' IN

★★ **CUSTOM**  
**PRINTING** ★★

**LETTERHEADS**

**PADDED FORMS**

**FORM WORK**

**ENVELOPES**

**MAILERS**

If you don't know Tony,

then you need to call him at the

**HONDO**  
**ANVIL HERALD**

Dial 426-3346

and ask him

how he can help you

with your printing



FIRST PLACE YARD

... winners in the Christmas Lighting Contest was the Norman Buescher yard at 1201 27th Street.

## 1973 Feed Grain Program explanation goes in mail

A preliminary explanation of the newly-announced 1973 Feed Grain Program is being mailed to Medina County Farmers with Feed Grain Bases, reports Nick G. Riff, Chairman of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee.

"As they sort through their Christmas mail, I hope they find the explanation and put it aside for special attention," he said. Explaining it is the first official word to be sent directly to farmers on the major provisions of the 1973 Feed Grain Program. Some 800 producers of Corn, Grain Sorghum and Barley participated in the 1972 Feed Grain Program, earning payments totalling approximately \$891,295.

Signup for the 1973 Feed Grain, Wheat and Cotton Programs begins February 5 at the ASCS County Office and continues through March 16.

The 1973 Feed Grain Program includes Barley, Corn, and Grain Sorghum, and pro-

ducers may elect to participate under one of two options.

Option A requires an acreage set-aside equivalent to 30 percent of a farm's feed grain base. Payment will be on an acreage equal to one-half of each feed grain base established for the farm. Per acre payment rates will be equal to the farm program yield times 35 cents for corn, 33 cents for grain sorghum, and 28 cents for barley. A supplemental payment is possible if a five-month national average price plus the payment is less than 70 percent of parity. Feed Grain acreage on farms signed up in Option A will be limited only by set-aside and conserving base requirements.

Option B requires an acreage set-aside equivalent to 15 percent of a farm's feed grain base. Farmers electing to participate under this plan agree to limit their 1973 total feed grain acreage to the total acreage certified as planted for harvest in 1972 and also agree to forgo supplemental payments. Payment will be on an acreage

equal to one-half of each feed grain base established for the farm. The per acre payment rates will be equal to the farm program yield times 24 cents for corn, 23 cents for grain sorghum, and 20 cents for barley.

Under either option, substitution of wheat in excess of the allotment and soybeans planted for harvest as beans will be considered as feed grain for purposes of preserving feed grain base history for the farm.

Commodity loans will be available to all participants in the feed grain program on the farm's entire production. National average loan rates will be \$1.08 per bushel for corn (No. 2 basis); \$1.79 per hundredweight (\$1.00 per

bushel) for grain sorghums; and 86 cents per bushel for barley.

The same alternate crops as approved for 1972 may be grown on set-aside in 1973. These are castor beans, crambe, guar, mustard seed, plantago Ovato, safflower, sesame and sunflower. The payment reduction if alternate crops are grown on set-aside land will be equal to 30 percent of the average payment rate under Option A. This will be true whether the farmer is participating under Option A, Option B, or the Wheat Program.

Those interested in obtaining more details should check with the ASCS County Office, Riff said.

## Youth Leadership classes set by Extension Service

COLLEGE STATION--The Texas A&M University Agricultural Education Department

is offering an off-campus, spring semester residence credit graduate course, "Youth Leadership Programs", for persons in the Uvalde area.

The course, listed as Agricultural Education 607, carries three semester hours of graduate level credit.

Dr. Earl H. Knebel, Agricultural Education Department head and course instructor, said the offering should interest Extension Service personnel, vocational agriculture teachers, home economics teachers and others who would like to develop and conduct youth leadership programs.

He said the course can be used in master's and doctoral degree programs, and in the block of semester hours allotted to "specialization area" for the professional certification program in vocational agriculture approved at Texas A&M.

Registration is at 5 p.m. Jan. 11 at the TAMU Agricultural Research and Extension Center near Uvalde, where the course will be taught.

Knebel said prerequisites are a bachelor's degree or previous admission to the A&M Graduate College. Application blanks will be available at registration.

There will be 12 late afternoon or evening classes of four 50-minute periods each. The final schedule of meeting times will be set after consulting with class members at the first meeting Jan. 18, Knebel said.

He said the cost is \$52, payable to the Fiscal Office, Texas A&M University.

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